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		NOTICE OF ABANDONMENT		
This	app	lication is abandoned in view of:		
	Арр	licant's failure to timely file a proper response to the Office letter mailed on		
٠		A response (with a Certificate of Mailing or Transmission of) was received on, which is after the expiration of the period for response (including a total extension of time ofmonth(s)) which expired on		
		A proposed response was received on, but it does not constitute a proper response to the final rejection.		
		(A proper response to a final rejection consists only of: a timely filed amendment which places the application in condition for allowance; a Notice of Appeal; or the filing of a continuing application under 37 CFR 1.62 (FWC).		
		No response has been received.		
		licant's failure to timely pay the required issue fee within the statutory period of three months from the mailing date ne Notice of Allowance.		
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		The submitted issue fee of \$ is insufficient. The issue fee required by 37 CFR 1.18 is \$		
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Z	Арр	licant's failure to timely file new formal drawings as required in the Notice of Allowability.		
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		The proposed new formal drawings filed are not acceptable.		
		No proposed new formal drawings have been received.		
	The	express abandonment under 37 CFR 1.62(g) in favor of the FWC application filed on		
		letter of express abandonment which is signed by the attorney or agent of record, the assignee of the entire rest, or all of the applicants.		
		The letter of express abandonment which is signed by an attorney or agent (acting in a representative capacity under 37 CFR 1.34(a) upon the filing of a continuing application.		
		decision by the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences rendered on and because the period seeking court review of the decision has expired and there are no allowed claims.		
	The	reason(s) below:  ABANDONMENT  CONTACT PERSON IS		

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